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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Notification of Missing Requirements, mailed April 11, 2007, relative to the above-identified application. A copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements is enclosed herewith.

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The Notice indicated that the Declaration was not executed. In response, applicant herewith submits the executed Declaration with accompanying Powers of Attorney.

The Notice also indicated that a surcharge must be submitted. Payment of \$130.00 is enclosed by way of PTO-2038.

If any other charges or fees must be paid or credited in connection with this communication, they may be paid or credited out of Deposit Account No. 50-4229.

Should anything further be required, a telephone call to the undersigned at (616) 855-1521 is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: May 21, 2007

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 08/17/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 08/17/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 08/17/2006
- Oath or Declaration filed on 08/17/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 08/17/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 08/17/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 08/17/2006
- Specification filed on 08/17/2006
- Claims filed on 08/17/2006
- Abstracts filed on 08/17/2006
- Drawings filed on 08/17/2006

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath
 or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the
 missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

• \$130 Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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